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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR SUGAR DATA

2. PRESENT INTENSIVE SUGAR POLICY REVIEW NECESSITATES  
MORE RECENT AND COMPLETE DATA ON WORLD COSTS OF PRODUCTION  
AND PRICING ON SUGAR. PLEASE SUPPLY THE FOLLOWING INFOR-  
MATION ASAP TO WASHINGTON BY APRIL 27. IF ACTUAL DATA  
ARE NOT AVAILABLE, PLEASE GIVE YOUR BEST ESTIMATES (AND  
INDICATE IF ESTIMATE) FOR MOST RECENT YEAR.

2. AVERAGE PRODUCTION COSTS (IN CENTS PER POUND, RAW  
VALUE) OF SUGAR IN YOUR COUNTRY:

A) TOTAL; B) VARIABLE; C) FIXED

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3. WHAT IS THE AVERAGE DOMESTIC PRICE PAID TO FARMERS (IN  
CENTS PER POUND, RAW VALUE) AS WELL AS MECHANISM FOR  
DETERMINING PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS?

4. WHAT IS THE RETAIL CONSUMER PRICE:

A) OF REFINED SUGAR? OR;

B) OF THE MOST COMMON SUGAR - E.G. SEMI-REFINED  
(IN CENTS PER POUND, RAW VALUE)?

5. WHAT IS THE AVERAGE UNIT VALUE OF 1975 OR 1976 EXPORT  
SHIPMENTS? IN CENTS PER POUND, RAW VALUE)?

6. WHAT IS THE LATEST PRICE RECEIVED FOR PREFERENTIAL  
SHIPMENTS; WHERE APPLICABLE (IN CENTS PER POUND, RAW  
VALUE)?

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